GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:592
ANSWERED ON:27.04.2001
I.T. DUES OF FILM PERSONALITIES
DUKHA BHAGAT

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of those film actors, producers and directors against whom income tax to the tune of more than ten lakh rupees is outstanding as on April 30, 2001;

(b) the reasons for not recovering the tax; and

(c) the steps taken for speedy recovery of the same ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a),(b)& (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) , (b) & (c) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 592 FC 27.4.2001.

(a) Details of arrears of Income Tax outstanding as on April 30, 2001 is not available as on date. However, the names of film actors, producers and directors against whom income tax of more than Rs. 10 lakhs was outstanding as on 31.12.2000 are given in Annexure-I.

(b) Most of the outstanding demands relate to issues disputed in appeals. Some of the demands are stayed by courts/ appellate authorities/ departmental authorities. There are also some cases where recovery is difficult.

(c) The recovery of tax is a continuous process, involving the use of various statutory provisions. These include charging of interest, levy of penalty, attachment of bank accounts, attachment and sale of movable and immovable properties, etc. Periodical review and monitoring of cases involving high demands are made by higher authorities on a continuous basis and necessary instructions are issued from time to time for effecting the recovery of taxes.

ANNEXURE-I

Sl.No. Name

1. Basant Kumar Patil

2. Dev Verma Alias(Smt.) Moon Moon Sen(Smt.)

3. A. Kothandaramiah

4. A.M.Ratnam

5. A. Ramki
6. A.S.Ibrahim Rowther

7 A.Sreedevi(Smt.)

8. A. Vijayakanth

9. Arjun
10. B.S.Ranga
11. F.J.Irani
12. G.Gopal Rao
13. G.Hanumantha Rao
14. G. Subramanim @ Maniratham
15. G. Venkateswaran
16. K. Balaji
17. K. Balasubramanian
18. K. Goundamani
19 Khushboo @ Nakhath Khan(Ms.)
20. Murali Vittal (WT)
21. Muralikanthan
22. Nagoor Babu
23. P. Loganathan Vittal(WT)
24. P.P. Kanniah
25. P.P. Kanniah (WT)
26. P. Soundrya (Ms.)
27. P. Guru Vittal (WT)
28. P. Mohan Vittal (WT)
29. Pyramid Films International
30. R.B. Chowdhury
31. R. Jayapradha (WT)
32. R. Raj Babu
33. R. Sarath Kumar
34. R. Vijayachandran
35. S. Gopal Reddy
36. S. Kamal Hassan
37. S. Prabhudeva
38. S. Priadarshan
39. S.T. Selvam
40. S. Vijayashanthi (Smt.)
41. V. Adinarayana Reddy
42. V.C. Ganesan
43. V. Doraiswamy Raju
44. Francis Joseph
45. P.D. Abraham Alias
46. Gulshan Kumar
47. Krishan Kumar
48. Amitabh Bachchan
49. Jaya Bachchan(Smt.)
50. Ashok Ghai
51. Mahesh Bhatt
52. Mukesh Bhatt
53. Nandkumar Tolani
54. Prema V. Shetty(Smt.)
55. Sharukh Khan
56. Subhash Ghai
57. Veeru Devgun
58. Verappa Shetty
59. P. Ramgopal Verma
60. Abbu Malik
61. Ajay Singh Deol
62. Akbar Ali Khan
63. Amit Kumar Ganguly
64. Anand N. Hinduja
65. Barkha Roy
66. Danny S. Desai
67. Dharmanand J. Joshi
68. Farooq Ahmed A. Farooqui
69. Gautam Berry
70. Gulab M. Gulbani
71. Kanubhai Chaubhan
72. Kishore Kumar Ganguli
73. L.R. Mirchandani
74. M.C.Bokadia
75. Mukesh Duggal
76. Nandini J.Rawat
77. Naresh Chandra Verma (WT)
78. O.P.Ralhan
79. Pahlaj Nihalani
80. Paran Sikand
81. Prakash Mehra
82. Promod Chakravorty
83. Rajan R. Sippy
84. Rajesh Khanna
85. Ramanand Sagar
86. Ranbir Raj Kapoor
87. Ranjit Bedi
88. Romesh Sharma
89. Satram Rohra
90. Sawan Kumar Tak
91. Shekhar Suman
92. Sunil Darshan

93. Suyash(Chunky)Panday
94. Yash Raj Chopra